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Group Art Unit: 1626

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Examiner: Sonya N. Wright

Inventors: Markus Heil et al.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTERAssistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**TECH CENTER 1600/2900**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee for this Amendment has been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

(1) Claims remaining after amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously paid for	(3) Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Fee Code
Total Claims 11 *	Minus	** 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	= \$ 0	103
Independent claims 5 *	Minus	*** 4 =	1 x	\$84.00	= \$ 84	102
First presentation of multiple dependent claims (\$280.00)					= \$	104
Total additional fee for this Amendment					= \$ 84	

* If entry in Col. 1 is less than entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 16, 2002 for three (3) month(s) from October 16, 2002 to January 16, 2003.

	<u>Extension Period</u>	<u>Fee</u>
[]	One Month	\$110.00
[]	Two Months	\$410.00
[x]	Three Months	\$930.00
[]	Four Months	\$1,450.00

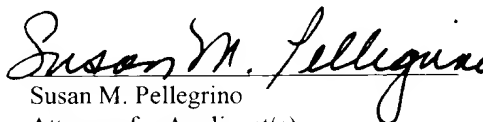
1. [] No additional fee is required.
2. [] A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.
3. [x] Charge \$ 1,014 to Deposit Account No. 13-3372 for this Amendment.
4. [x] Please charge any additional fees which may be required by this Amendment, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-3372. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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